GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE
LOK SABHA

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RENEWAL PERMISSION TO MEDICAL COLLEGES IN ANDHRA PRADESH
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Will the Minister of HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE be pleased to state:

(a) whether the renewal permission for 2001-2002 to five medical colleges in Andhra Pradesh has not been given so far by the Medical Council of India even though the deficiencies pointed out by MCI have been rectified by them;

(b) if so, the reasons therefor;

(c) whether the State Government had requested the Union Government to accord early renewal sanction of additional seats in these five Medical Colleges;

(d) if so, the reasons for delay in according sanction; and

(e) the time by which the sanction is likely to be given?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE (SHRI A. RAJA)

(a) to (c) : Permission of the Central Govt.for admission of students during 2001-2002 in respect of all the seven medical colleges permitted after amendment to IMC Act in 1993 has been granted. Similarly permission for admission of fresh batch of students during 2001-2002 against the increased intake at Govt. Medical Colleges at Warangal, Kurnool and Tirupati has also been granted. Permission for admission of fresh batch of students against the increased intake (100 to 150) during 2001-2002 has however, not been granted in respect of Rangraya Medical College, Kakinada in view of the deficiencies noted during inspection.The report of the State Govt. on rectification of deficiencies has sent to the Medical Council of India for verification and their report is awaited.In the meantime Council has informed that the college has already admitted students against the increased intake during 2001-2002 without waiting for renewal of permission.